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# SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty to disclose information material to patentability pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO/SB/08 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. The listed documents were cited by the office in co-pending application Serial No. 09/944,472, filed on August 30, 2001, and directed to a related invention. Copies of the listed documents are enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a).

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defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b). Further, no representation is made by Applicants herein that no other possible material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (b) exists.

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Applicants offer to supply any explanation or discussion of the documents which the Examiner feels is necessary or desirable and which is requested.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed concurrent with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal, therefore no fee is required.

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